"the" to --such--, "diaper" to --diapers-- and after "provided"
insert --with stretched elastic members bonded thereto--;

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line 8, delete "with elastic members";

delete line 9;

line 10, change "Body" to --A body--; and delete "of the diaper";

line 12, after "region" insert --of the diaper--;

line 13, change "of the diaper" to --thereof--, and delete "As viewed vertically";

line 14, delete "of the diaper," and change "longitudinally" to --Longitudinally--;

line 15, after "regions" insert --of the diaper--;

line 18, delete "more or less";

line 20, after "such" insert --a--;

line 21, change "aged" to --elderly--.

Page 2, line 1, change "aged" to --elderly--;

line 3, delete "to";

line 4, change "that" to --the--, and change "wearer'" to --wearer's--;

line 6, delete "has been";

line 14, change "and" to --the diaper thereby--;

line 15, change ", and a" to --. A--;

line 16, change "said" to --the--;

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line 17, delete "wherein said waist opening" and "said leg";

line 18, delete "openings" and change "being" to --which are--;

line 19, change "said" to --the--;

line 20, change "longitudinally extended" to --stretched--, and "condition thereof, said" to --condition thereto. The--;

line 21, change "being" to --is--, and "said" to --the--;

line 22, change "said" (first and second occurrences) to --the--.

Page 3, line 1, after "same" insert --vertical--;

line 2, delete "vertically", change "said" (first and second occurrences) to --the--;

line 3, change "said" (first and second occurrences) to --the--;

line 4, change "," to --.--, change "said" (first occurrence) to --. The--, and change "said" to --the--;

line 5, change "said" to --the--;

line 6, change "extending to --extends--, change "said" to --the-- (first occurrence);

line 8, change "said" (first occurrence) to --the--;

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line 11, change "allows an" to --minimizes--;

line 12, delete "to be minimized"; and

line 13, delete "so as".

Page 5, line 10, change "having" to --have-- and after "3mm" insert "and";

line 12, change "longitudinally extended" to --stretched-- and "conditions" to --condition--;

line 20, change "having" to --have--;

line 21, after "10mm" insert --and--; and

line 22, change "longitudinally extended" to --stretched--.

Page 6, line 15, change "lies" to --extends--;

line 16, change "on this side" to --inwardly--;

line 17, after "32" insert --of absorbent 2--, delete "which" and after "enlarged" insert --in the rear waist region 7--;

line 18, delete "lies in the rear waist region 7"; and

line 19, after "beyond" insert --or outwardly of--.

Page 7, line 1, change "which" to --and--, and change "comprising" to --comprises--.

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Page 8,   line 3, change "forward" to --inward--; and

line 16, after "on" insert --the--.

Page 9,   line 7, change "longitudinally extend" to --extend longitudinally--;

line 11, after "." insert --However, the--, and change "Arrangement" to --arrangement--;

line 13, change "a" to --the--;

line 19, delete "has been"; and

line 21, delete "as".

Page 10,   delete lines 19-22.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows.

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1.   (Amended)   A pull-on disposable diaper⌐ comprising an absorbent including a liquid-permeable topsheet, a liquid-impermeable backsheet and an absorbent core disposed therebetween[, and] to jointly define [having] a front waist region, a rear waist region and a crotch region extending therebetween, and a waist-opening and a pair of leg-openings defined by said respective regions⌐ wherein said waist-opening and said leg-openings [are provided with] include elastic members being stretchable

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